MEMORANDUM
Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services

TO: Regulatory Services Division
Regional Directors and State Office Managers

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SUBJECT: Federal Survey and Certification (S&C) Letter No. 05-14

DATE: February 8, 2005

The referenced federal S&C Letter was issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). This letter, which replaces S&C 04-46 dated September 9, 2004, is being provided to you for information purposes and should be shared with all professional staff. A forthcoming Provider Letter and a State Survey and Certification Clarification Memorandum will provide additional guidance on the subject of electronic signatures.

- Federal S&C Letter No. 05-14 — Electronic Signature Guidance - Clarification

If you have any questions about this subject, please contact Angela Chisholm, RN, BAAS, DADS Clinical MDS Coordinator, at (512) 438-2003.

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